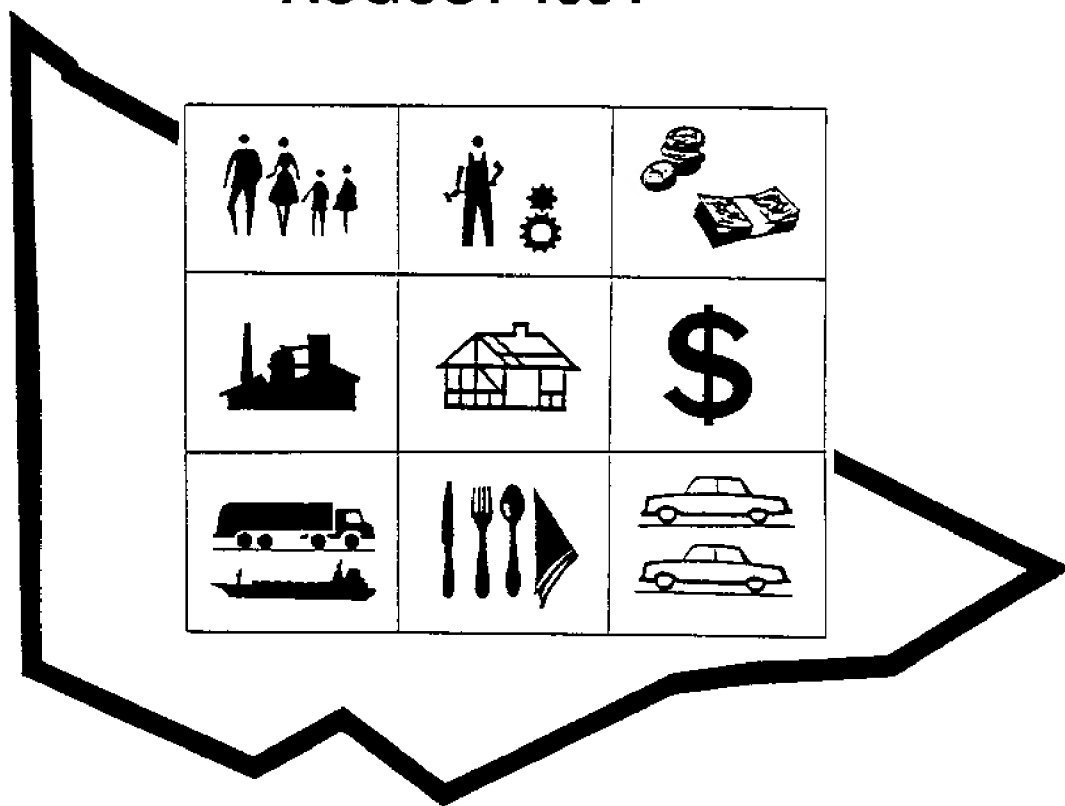


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## DEMOGRAPHY

**TABLE 1. ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, VICTORIA**  
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Period	At end of period			Increase during period		Mean estimated resident population for year ended		Melbourne Statistical Division at 30 June
	Males	Females	Persons	Natural	Total	30 June	31 Dec	
1990-91	2,192.1	2,228.3	4,420.4	34.9	41.8	4,401.6	4,420.8	3,156.7
1991-92	2,206.5	2,244.6	4,451.0	33.4	30.6	4,437.1	4,450.3	3,179.5
1992-93 p	2,211.7	2,252.8	4,464.5	34.0	13.5	4,459.7	4,465.2	3,189.2
1990 -								
March qr	2,165.7	2,198.8	4,364.5	9.5	16.3	..	..	..
June qr	2,172.6	2,206.0	4,378.6	9.1	14.1	..	..	..
September qr	2,178.7	2,212.5	4,391.2	8.5	12.6	..	..	..
December qr	2,183.0	2,217.7	4,400.7	8.8	9.5	..	..	..
1991 -								
March qr	2,189.0	2,224.4	4,413.4	8.9	12.7	..	..	..
June qr	2,192.1	2,228.3	4,420.4	8.3	7.0	..	..	..
September qr	2,196.4	2,233.2	4,429.6	8.2	9.2	..	..	..
December qr	2,198.6	2,236.6	4,435.2	8.4	5.6	..	..	..
1992 -								
March qr p	2,203.9	2,241.8	4,445.7	9.2	10.5			
June qr p	2,206.4	2,244.5	4,451.0	8.0	5.3			
September qr p	2,208.5	2,247.3	4,455.8	8.2	4.8			
December qr p	2,209.7	2,249.6	4,459.3	8.4	3.5			
1993 -								
March qr p	2,212.1	2,252.6	4,464.7	9.2	5.4			
June qr p	2,211.7	2,252.8	4,464.5	8.2	-0.2			
September qr p	2,212.4	2,254.2	4,466.6	7.6	2.1			
December qr p	2,212.9	2,255.5	4,468.3	7.9	1.7			

**TABLE 2. BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES, VICTORIA**

Period	Number of registrations				Annual rate per 1,000 of mean estimated resident population			Infant deaths per 1,000 live births
	Births	Deaths	Infant deaths	Marriages	Births	Deaths	Marriages	
1990-91	66,269	31,091	498	29,135	15.05	7.06	6.63	7.51
1991-92	65,478	31,447	390	28,567	14.71	7.05	6.41	5.93
1992-93 p	65,545	31,112	374	27,940	14.70	6.98	6.26	5.71
1990 -								
September qr	16,517	7,972	150	4,399	..	..	..	..
December qr	16,529	7,687	123	9,036	..	..	..	..
Year - 1990	67,158	30,976	538	30,120	15.34	7.08	6.88	7.79
1991 -								
March qr	16,597	7,392	129	9,091	..	..	..	..
June qr	16,626	8,040	96	6,609	..	..	..	..
September qr	16,604	8,306	119	4,336	..	..	..	..
December qr	15,897	7,420	95	8,499	..	..	..	..
Year - 1991	65,724	31,158	439	28,535	14.87	7.05	6.46	6.68
1992 -								
March qr	16,798	7,624	97	9,302	..	..	..	..
June qr	16,179	8,097	79	6,430	..	..	..	..
September qr	16,695	8,418	98	4,179	..	..	..	..
December qr	16,378	7,777	97	8,518	..	..	..	..
Year - 1992	66,050	31,916	371	28,429	14.85	7.18	6.39	5.61
1993 -								
March qr p	16,552	7,243	101	8,753	..	..	..	..
June qr p	15,920	7,674	78	6,490	..	..	..	..
September qr p	16,220	8,536	75	4,092	..	..	..	..
December qr p	15,555	7,617	104	8,080	..	..	..	..
Year - 1993	64,247	31,070	358	27,415	14.38	6.96	6.14	5.57

# LABOUR

**TABLE 3. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER, VICTORIA**

Month	Employed		Unemployed looking for work			Labour force ( <i>'000</i> )	Not in labour force ( <i>'000</i> )	Civilian population 15 years and over ( <i>'000</i> )	Unemp- loyment rate (%)	Partici- pation rate (%)
	Full- time ( <i>'000</i> )	Total ( <i>'000</i> )	Full- time ( <i>'000</i> )	Part- time ( <i>'000</i> )	Total ( <i>'000</i> )					
MALES										
1993 -										
May	990.2	1,101.3	148.1	18.2	166.3	1,267.6	449.4	1,717.0	13.1	73.8
June	998.9	1,108.8	142.8	12.8	155.6	1,264.4	453.4	1,717.7	12.3	73.6
July	998.1	1,113.0	146.0	10.6	156.6	1,269.6	448.7	1,718.3	12.3	73.9
August	986.6	1,096.6	151.5	11.8	163.3	1,259.9	459.0	1,718.9	13.0	73.3
September	1,004.4	1,125.0	140.0	11.9	151.9	1,276.9	442.6	1,719.5	11.9	74.3
October	1,011.2	1,117.2	140.5	9.9	150.4	1,267.6	452.5	1,720.1	11.9	73.7
November	1,005.7	1,116.8	138.8	10.1	148.9	1,265.7	455.0	1,720.7	11.8	73.6
December	1,026.1	1,134.2	135.9	13.7	149.6	1,283.9	437.5	1,721.3	11.7	74.6
1994 -										
January	1,000.7	1,112.5	142.5	16.3	158.8	1,271.3	450.7	1,722.0	12.5	73.8
February	997.2	1,106.0	152.5	15.0	167.5	1,273.5	449.2	1,722.7	13.2	73.9
March	1,000.5	1,119.8	138.5	17.6	156.1	1,275.9	447.5	1,723.4	12.2	74.0
April	1,009.4	1,127.5	129.3	13.4	142.8	1,270.2	453.7	1,723.9	11.2	73.7
May	1,006.4	1,125.7	131.4	12.9	144.3	1,269.9	454.4	1,724.3	11.4	73.6
June	1,014.0	1,134.8	122.3	16.8	139.1	1,273.9	450.9	1,724.8	10.9	73.9
July	1,026.0	1,150.7	112.2	13.8	126.0	1,276.7	448.8	1,725.5	9.9	74.0
FEMALES										
1993 -										
May	478.2	816.0	77.6	27.7	105.4	921.3	868.4	1,789.7	11.4	51.5
June	475.4	813.2	78.1	29.1	107.2	920.4	870.0	1,790.3	11.6	51.4
July	479.7	815.1	77.2	25.8	103.0	918.1	873.1	1,791.1	11.2	51.3
August	473.8	815.9	75.8	27.0	102.8	918.7	873.2	1,791.9	11.2	51.3
September	487.2	835.2	84.8	31.3	116.2	951.4	841.3	1,792.7	12.2	53.1
October	477.7	833.5	80.2	27.9	108.0	941.6	852.0	1,793.5	11.5	52.5
November	470.2	831.2	74.8	32.6	107.4	938.6	855.8	1,794.4	11.4	52.3
December	483.0	833.7	88.3	30.4	118.6	952.3	842.8	1,795.2	12.5	53.0
1994 -										
January	470.8	793.6	82.5	30.6	113.1	906.6	889.3	1,795.9	12.5	50.5
February	475.9	820.4	88.5	32.4	120.9	941.3	855.4	1,796.6	12.8	52.4
March	473.0	836.0	79.2	36.9	116.2	952.2	845.2	1,797.4	12.2	53.0
April	461.5	833.0	72.7	31.7	104.4	937.4	860.7	1,798.1	11.1	52.1
May	468.2	838.0	69.9	26.8	96.7	934.6	864.1	1,798.7	10.3	52.0
June	463.6	841.5	63.5	26.3	89.9	931.3	868.0	1,799.3	9.6	51.8
July	476.5	854.1	62.6	29.4	92.0	946.1	854.2	1,800.3	9.7	52.6
PERSONS										
1993 -										
May	1,468.4	1,917.2	225.7	46.0	271.7	2,188.9	1,317.8	3,506.8	12.4	62.4
June	1,474.3	1,921.9	220.9	41.8	262.8	2,184.7	1,323.4	3,508.1	12.0	62.3
July	1,477.8	1,928.1	223.2	36.4	259.6	2,187.7	1,321.8	3,509.5	11.9	62.3
August	1,460.3	1,912.5	227.3	38.8	266.1	2,178.6	1,332.2	3,510.8	12.2	62.1
September	1,491.6	1,960.3	224.9	43.2	268.1	2,228.3	1,283.9	3,512.2	12.0	63.4
October	1,488.9	1,950.7	220.7	37.7	258.4	2,209.2	1,304.5	3,513.6	11.7	62.9
November	1,475.9	1,947.9	213.7	42.7	256.3	2,204.3	1,310.8	3,515.1	11.6	62.7
December	1,509.1	1,967.9	224.2	44.1	268.3	2,236.2	1,280.3	3,516.5	12.0	63.6
1994 -										
January	1,471.5	1,906.0	225.0	46.9	271.9	2,177.9	1,340.0	3,518.0	12.5	61.9
February	1,473.2	1,926.4	241.0	47.4	288.4	2,214.8	1,304.6	3,519.4	13.0	62.9
March	1,473.5	1,955.9	217.7	54.5	272.3	2,228.1	1,292.7	3,520.8	12.2	63.3
April	1,470.9	1,960.4	202.1	45.1	247.2	2,207.6	1,314.3	3,521.9	11.2	62.7
May	1,474.7	1,963.6	201.3	39.7	240.9	2,204.6	1,318.5	3,523.0	10.9	62.6
June	1,477.6	1,976.3	185.8	43.1	228.9	2,205.2	1,319.0	3,524.1	10.4	62.6
July	1,502.4	2,004.7	174.9	43.2	218.0	2,222.8	1,303.1	3,525.8	9.8	63.0

**TABLE 4. EMPLOYED PERSONS BY INDUSTRY, VICTORIA**  
(<sup>'000</sup>)

<i>Industry division or subdivision</i>	<i>Feb. 1993</i>	<i>May 1993</i>	<i>Aug. 1993</i>	<i>Nov. 1993</i>	<i>Feb. 1994</i>	<i>May 1994</i>
<b>MALES</b>						
Agriculture and services to agriculture	62.8	56.2	60.5	64.3	58.1	59.1
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*1.3	*1.5	*3.2	*3.6	6.2	4.6
Mining	4.6	*3.8	*2.9	4.9	6.1	*4.5
Manufacturing -	239.5	238.8	242.1	248.8	247.7	247.9
Food, beverages, and tobacco	30.4	32.1	32.4	32.8	30.6	29.2
Metal products	34.2	35.0	37.9	40.8	34.2	35.4
Other manufacturing	174.8	171.7	171.8	175.3	182.8	183.3
Construction	103.0	100.2	96.4	103.0	104.2	97.9
Wholesale and retail trade	227.9	238.5	243.9	241.8	228.9	240.6
Transport and storage	72.9	70.2	61.2	64.9	73.4	74.7
Finance, property, and business services	113.0	129.2	123.1	115.2	121.9	128.5
Community services	114.7	111.2	104.3	111.7	111.9	115.9
Recreational, personal, and other services	63.5	62.8	64.4	69.0	63.1	64.8
Other industries (a)	92.1	88.8	94.6	89.6	84.7	87.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,095.3</b>	<b>1,101.3</b>	<b>1,096.6</b>	<b>1,116.8</b>	<b>1,106.0</b>	<b>1,125.7</b>
<b>FEMALES</b>						
Agriculture and services to agriculture	27.7	23.1	23.9	26.5	26.9	27.3
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*0.5	*0.8	*0.5	*0.5	*0.3	*0.0
Mining	*1.1	*0.3	*0.5	*2.1	*2.5	*2.0
Manufacturing -	104.0	105.7	94.3	93.8	92.5	93.4
Food, beverages, and tobacco	19.8	18.2	17.6	14.6	15.7	12.6
Metal products	6.4	6.2	6.3	6.7	5.4	6.8
Other manufacturing	77.8	81.4	70.4	72.5	71.4	74.0
Construction	17.5	15.3	14.2	14.2	14.8	16.2
Wholesale and retail trade	178.7	184.1	182.7	185.5	180.6	189.8
Transport and storage	14.4	16.0	17.1	20.7	21.2	20.1
Finance, property, and business services	103.7	104.6	102.0	111.0	117.1	114.2
Community services	226.6	241.5	245.0	243.1	233.3	243.5
Recreational, personal, and other services	77.7	70.9	72.8	75.1	74.8	80.3
Other industries (a)	52.6	53.7	62.9	58.8	56.2	51.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>804.4</b>	<b>816.0</b>	<b>815.9</b>	<b>831.2</b>	<b>820.4</b>	<b>838.0</b>
<b>PERSONS</b>						
Agriculture and services to agriculture	90.5	79.3	84.4	90.7	85.0	86.3
Forestry, fishing, and hunting	*1.8	*2.4	*3.7	*4.1	6.5	4.6
Mining	5.7	*4.1	*3.4	6.9	8.5	6.6
Manufacturing -	343.4	344.5	336.4	342.7	340.2	341.3
Food, beverages, and tobacco	50.2	50.3	50.0	47.4	46.4	41.8
Metal products	40.6	41.2	44.2	47.5	39.6	42.2
Other manufacturing	252.6	253.1	242.2	247.8	254.2	257.3
Construction	120.5	115.5	110.6	117.2	119.1	114.2
Wholesale and retail trade	406.5	422.6	426.6	427.3	409.5	430.4
Transport and storage	87.3	86.1	78.3	85.5	94.6	94.8
Finance, property, and business services	216.7	233.8	225.1	226.2	239.0	242.6
Community services	341.3	352.7	349.3	354.8	345.2	359.3
Recreational, personal, and other services	141.2	133.7	137.2	144.1	137.9	145.1
Other industries (a)	144.8	142.5	157.5	148.3	141.0	138.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,899.7</b>	<b>1,917.2</b>	<b>1,912.5</b>	<b>1,947.9</b>	<b>1,926.4</b>	<b>1,963.6</b>

(a) Includes Electricity, gas and water, communication and Public administration and defence.

\* Subject to sampling variability too high for most practical uses.

**TABLE 5. UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS, AND SPECIAL BENEFITS, VICTORIA (a) (b)**

<i>As at -</i>	<i>Number of benefits</i>			<i>Percentage of Australian Total</i>
	<i>Unemployment</i>	<i>Sickness and special</i>	<i>Total</i>	
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	
1991 -				
April	147,026	23,704	170,730	23.72
May	158,069	23,648	181,717	24.22
June	167,968	23,300	191,268	24.59
July	175,726	22,739	198,465	24.81
August	179,590	22,140	201,730	25.05
September	183,841	21,084	204,925	25.28
October	185,892	20,097	205,989	25.46
November	189,214	19,217	208,431	25.58
December	194,447	18,468	212,915	25.55
1992 -				
January	200,827	19,065	219,892	25.42
February	210,664	20,350	231,014	25.49
March	211,429	19,962	231,391	25.57
April	214,122	19,361	233,483	25.66
May	219,234	18,719	237,953	25.90
June	224,177	18,557	242,734	26.08
July	225,784	18,761	244,545	26.12
August (b)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Monthly average. (b) This information is available directly from the Department of Social Security.

**TABLE 6. JOB VACANCIES, VICTORIA**

<i>Month</i>	<i>Vacancies all persons ('000)</i>	<i>Industry ('000)</i>		<i>Sector ('000)</i>		<i>Job vacancy rate (per cent)</i>
		<i>Manu- facturing</i>	<i>Other</i>	<i>Public</i>	<i>Private</i>	
1992 -						
May	5.8	*0.5	5.3	1.8	*3.9	0.4
August	6.5	0.7	5.8	1.2	5.3	0.4
November	5.8	0.7	5.1	1.0	4.8	0.4
1993 -						
February	7.3	*0.7	6.6	1.0	6.3	0.5
May	5.4	*0.6	4.8	1.2	*4.2	0.3
August	9.1	1.2	7.9	1.1	7.9	0.6
November	9.9	1.2	8.7	1.8	8.1	0.6
1994 -						
February	11.3	2.2	9.1	1.7	9.6	0.7
May	15.3	2.2	13.0	2.0	13.3	1.0

\* Subject to sampling variability too high for most practical uses.

**TABLE 7. INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES CAUSING STOPPAGE OF WORK, VICTORIA**

Period	Number of disputes		Workers involved ('000)		Working days lost ('000)				
	Beginning in period	Total	Beginning in period	Total	Manu- facturing	Con- struction	Community services	Other industries	Total
1992 -									
December	8	10	27.5	27.6	4.5	-	6.1	21.0	31.6
1993 -									
January	5	5	0.4	0.4	-	0.1	-	0.8	0.9
February	9	9	11.4	11.4	0.9	-	8.4	0.7	10.0
March	11	12	90.8	90.8	50.1	0.4	32.1	5.7	88.3
April	6	9	1.2	2.6	0.6	-	0.5	0.7	1.8
May	12	15	4.0	23.1	3.6	-	11.0	8.8	23.4
June	15	18	9.7	11.9	4.0	-	-	8.2	12.2
July	12	14	7.7	13.9	2.0	1.5	-	8.7	12.2
August	8	10	21.5	21.7	2.8	-	18.7	2.9	24.4
September	7	8	0.8	5.7	0.3	0.1	2.5	0.4	3.3
October	16	17	48.3	48.4	11.6	3.0	14.2	17.2	46.0
November	5	10	1.2	21.4	4.5	-	14.4	4.7	23.6
December	7	9	4.0	5.7	10.4	-	0.3	0.3	11.0
1994 -									
January	4	6	0.9	1.1	0.3	-	-	0.5	0.8
February	7	9	0.4	2.0	0.7	-	0.2	0.3	1.2
March	17	18	1.0	15.7	0.7	-	1.0	10.5	12.2
April	8	11	1.9	2.9	1.1	-	0.1	0.7	1.9
May	9	13	1.2	4.2	3.4	-	0.5	0.2	4.1

**WAGES AND PRICES****TABLE 8. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS, OF EMPLOYEES (ORIGINAL SERIES), VICTORIA (\$)**

Reference period - pay period ending on or before	Males			Females			Persons		
	Full-time adults		All males	Full-time adults		All females	Full-time adults		All employees
	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings	Ordinary time earnings	Total earnings	Total earnings
1993 -									
19 February	631.10	675.10	616.90	531.40	545.00	413.60	595.10	628.10	520.80
21 May	633.90	679.90	619.30	526.30	540.00	407.90	595.50	629.90	519.80
20 August	639.90	683.70	617.70	532.40	544.50	412.60	601.10	633.40	521.10
19 November	636.70	687.70	624.20	536.30	550.40	417.90	600.50	638.20	527.00
1994 -									
18 February	641.00	685.90	625.10	542.00	555.80	430.90	604.70	638.20	533.90
20 May	652.30	698.50	626.10	553.20	569.00	429.50	616.70	651.90	534.50



**TABLE 9. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX**  
(Base of each group: year 1989-90 = 100.0)

Period	Melbourne								All groups	Eight capital cities All groups (weighted average)
	Food	Clothing	Housing	Household equipment and operation	Transportation	Tobacco and alcohol	Health and personal care	Recreation and education		
1991-92	104.9	106.8	98.9	108.3	109.8	116.8	126.3	108.6	108.1	107.3
1992-93	106.3	107.8	93.1	108.3	112.7	122.7	129.8	110.8	108.9	108.4
1993-94	107.9	107.3	92.7	110.0	115.8	132.1	135.4	113.6	111.1	110.4
1991 -										
September qr	104.0	106.3	101.5	108.0	108.6	116.1	120.6	107.9	107.6	106.6
December qr	104.6	107.0	100.6	108.3	110.3	117.1	125.2	108.8	108.4	107.6
1992 -										
March qr	104.9	106.4	97.8	107.9	110.1	116.9	131.7	108.7	108.3	107.6
June pr	106.0	107.5	95.5	108.9	110.1	117.2	127.5	108.9	108.2	107.3
September qr	105.5	106.8	93.3	107.8	112.0	118.0	127.2	109.2	107.9	107.4
December	105.5	108.3	92.3	108.6	112.0	118.8	128.5	110.2	108.2	107.9
1993 -										
March qr	107.3	107.7	92.4	108.2	113.1	126.4	131.5	112.0	109.5	108.9
June qr	107.0	108.4	94.5	108.7	113.7	127.7	132.1	111.9	110.1	109.3
September qr	107.8	107.9	93.8	109.0	115.0	129.8	131.9	112.2	110.5	109.8
December qr	108.1	107.5	92.4	109.3	115.8	131.7	132.9	113.3	110.8	110.0
1994 -										
March qr	107.8	106.7	92.2	110.8	114.9	133.0	137.4	114.1	111.2	110.4
June qr	107.9	106.9	92.4	110.8	117.5	134.0	139.2	114.8	112.0	111.2

**TABLE 10. PRICE INDEX OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING, MELBOURNE**

Group	1994						Weighted average of six State capital cities (June p)
	1991-92	1992-93	1993-94	Apr p	May p	June p	
House building (Base year: 1985-86 = 100.0)							
<b>All groups</b>	<b>137.3</b>	<b>141.1</b>	<b>149.6</b>	<b>151.4</b>	<b>151.6</b>	<b>152.0</b>	<b>154.3</b>
Other than house building (Base year: 1989-90 = 100.0) -							
Structural timber	97.2	103.2	119.5	123.9	123.9	123.7	130.3
Clay bricks	106.9	108.5	109.3	109.4	109.4	109.4	108.4
Ready mixed concrete	94.0	108.2	123.4	124.6	124.7	124.7	111.3
Precast concrete products	102.8	99.5	99.2	100.7	100.7	101.3	109.2
Steel decking and cladding	107.5	109.0	104.7	106.3	106.8	106.8	109.3
Structural steel	93.3	91.3	93.3	94.9	93.8	94.1	104.6
Reinforcing steel bar, mesh, etc.	97.7	99.2	102.0	102.3	102.5	102.3	112.3
Aluminium windows	96.4	96.0	96.5	96.3	95.9	96.3	100.9
Fabricated Steel Products (a)	109.5	108.4	109.4	109.8	109.8	109.8	107.6
Builders' hardware	112.6	117.2	116.2	112.7	114.1	113.7	116.4
Sand and aggregate	119.0	113.8	119.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	121.0
Carpet	100.4	98.8	98.3	98.1	99.0	98.8	99.6
Paint and other coatings	119.2	118.8	125.0	125.4	125.9	125.9	119.7
Non-ferrous pipes and fittings	89.4	90.9	86.5	84.9	85.2	89.0	106.7
All groups excluding electrical materials and mechanical services	101.8	103.4	106.6	107.1	107.2	107.5	109.1
All electrical materials	110.7	108.9	107.3	107.7	107.3	109.0	107.1
All mechanical services	105.6	105.5	106.8	107.1	107.0	107.4	107.8
All plumbing materials	104.1	104.0	105.3	105.3	105.5	107.5	112.1
<b>All groups</b>	<b>103.4</b>	<b>104.4</b>	<b>106.7</b>	<b>107.2</b>	<b>107.2</b>	<b>107.6</b>	<b>108.6</b>

(a) Previously "Steel Windows, doors, louvres etc".

Commencing with this table, this Index has been compiled on the basis of a revised list of items and updated weighting pattern. The reference base of the index has been updated to 1989-90=100.0. See Appendices in October 1993 issue of Catalogue number 6407.0

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## TABLE 11. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERINGS, VICTORIA

<i>Period</i>	<i>Cattle</i>	<i>Calves</i>	<i>Sheep</i>	<i>Lambs</i>	<i>Pigs</i>	<i>Chickens</i>
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000
1990-91	1,613.4	615.5	4,054.4	6,246.3	1,012.7	72,165.2
1991-92	1,448.8	497.7	3,637.3	6,318.9	1,095.2	73,832.2
1992-93	1,365.8	608.5	3,722.6	6,288.1	1,070.8	78,614.7
1993 -						
January	103.3	7.7	308.9	464.9	73.3	7,400.9
February	111.3	6.6	290.1	430.9	78.9	5,926.3
March	129.4	13.8	367.1	514.2	94.4	6,309.3
April	109.5	24.3	347.9	479.3	92.9	7,357.7
May	112.1	43.8	368.9	480.6	90.1	6,445.3
June	101.3	64.3	329.2	471.8	91.1	6,613.2
July	106.1	79.7	338.3	426.0	106.1	7,289.1
August	96.1	149.2	228.5	381.8	103.6	6,290.3
September	98.8	111.4	256.7	426.5	104.0	5,987.1
October	104.6	38.3	284.4	458.3	89.3	7,605.1
November	126.0	12.3	362.8	506.7	93.8	6,740.7
December	129.4	8.4	474.4	518.2	102.3	8,281.9
1994 -						
January	114.8	5.6	412.8	406.3	82.4	8,102.0
February	116.6	4.9	424.8	443.7	83.5	7,223.7
March	138.5	11.2	395.5	555.5	109.0	7,226.9
April	118.3	26.2	312.5	452.3	96.5	7,468.3
May	132.8	47.2	292.6	528.3	102.4	6,934.7
June	r111.4	89.0	r195.2	r504.3	r103.0	8,237.1
July	103.7	79.7	187.7	507.5	91.8	6,413.1

## TABLE 12. MEAT PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

<i>Period</i>	<i>Meat (carcass weight)</i>					<i>Dressed weight of poultry</i>
	<i>Beef</i>	<i>Veal</i>	<i>Mutton</i>	<i>Lamb</i>	<i>Pigmeat</i>	tonnes
	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	
1990-91	337,337	13,900	86,614	112,859	67,993	107,562
1991-92	302,385	11,907	75,058	111,452	74,093	113,482
1992-93	299,907	14,948	81,907	113,220	70,535	119,966
1993 -						
January	22,818	370	9,039	9,576	4,789	11,200
February	24,892	372	6,187	7,847	5,121	8,907
March	29,074	529	7,885	9,226	6,241	9,639
April	24,705	959	7,674	8,527	6,078	10,774
May	25,554	1,423	8,171	8,670	5,868	9,780
June	22,521	1,801	6,685	8,228	6,035	11,515
July	22,665	1,752	7,202	7,713	7,065	12,280
August	20,159	2,985	4,772	6,627	6,826	9,797
September	21,089	2,276	5,436	7,497	7,024	9,335
October	23,355	745	6,149	8,199	6,060	11,751
November	28,874	366	8,035	9,087	6,405	10,714
December	30,025	346	10,560	9,161	6,891	11,701
1994 -						
January	26,685	367	8,843	7,369	5,507	11,324
February	27,545	318	8,924	8,176	5,558	10,032
March	32,677	512	8,247	10,181	7,272	11,166
April	28,042	716	6,540	8,169	6,261	11,523
May	29,318	1,185	6,213	9,733	6,763	10,820
June	r24,781	r1,894	4,144	r9,326	6,857	r11,487
July	23,328	1,859	3,987	9,189	6,289	10,572

TABLE 13. DAIRY PRODUCTS, VICTORIA

Period	Butter			Cheese		Ice cream	Yoghurt
	Whole milk (a)	Original (a)	Seasonally adjusted	Original (a)	Seasonally adjusted		
	m litres	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 tonnes	'000 litres	'000 tonnes
1991-92	4,118	94.3	..	123.0	..	57,352	27,746
1992-93	4,456	106.9	..	128.3	..	49,905	28,698
1993-94	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	..	n.y.a.	..	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1993 -							
March	337	8.4	9.1	10.9	10.6	5,328	2,569
April	252	6.0	9.1	9.4	11.8	3,399	1,962
May	199	4.1	8.0	6.4	11.3	2,931	2,411
June	161	3.7	8.3	4.1	9.6	3,694	2,055
July	192	3.4	8.5	3.7	8.4	3,420	2,153
August	329	5.6	8.5	7.6	9.7	4,133	2,281
September	521	11.7	9.6	13.7	9.9	5,038	3,105
October	645	15.4	9.6	16.6	12.4	5,201	2,599
November	629	16.2	9.6	14.7	10.0	5,990	2,906
December	587	15.7	11.0	14.5	11.3	6,694	2,680
1994 -							
January	538	13.0	10.6	13.7	11.0	6,075	2,825
February	418	9.6	9.8	11.9	10.9	6,837	3,157
March	381	9.8	10.4	12.5	12.2	5,017	3,174
April	285	7.3	10.2	10.6	12.4	3,899	2,791
May	238	5.1	9.3	9.5	14.4	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

(a) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation

TABLE 14. FOOD PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

Period	Wheat flour, (other than self-raising)	Biscuits (a)	Confectionery		Preserved vegetables (c)
			Chocolate (b)	Other	
			tonnes	tonnes	
1991-92	261,505	42,331	54,729	39,400	56,106
1992-93	271,883	42,303	59,180	39,931	53,361
1993-94	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	63,701	39,931	n.y.a.
1993 -					
March	23,281	3,780	5,098	3,446	11,256
April	23,124	3,318	4,120	2,743	9,591
May	22,642	3,589	4,929	3,058	3,726
June	26,208	3,802	5,030	3,289	1,957
July	21,465	3,493	5,310	3,302	3,588
August	23,631	3,132	5,892	3,585	3,202
September	23,581	3,633	5,274	3,618	2,904
October	22,441	3,237	5,972	3,835	3,346
November	21,388	3,640	5,967	4,188	2,247
December	22,212	3,136	5,577	3,316	2,387
1994 -					
January	18,263	1,934	5,054	2,021	2,501
February	22,585	3,157	5,288	3,252	4,960
March	25,674	3,303	5,061	3,287	17,559
April	22,054	2,571	4,384	2,484	13,096
May	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	4,558	3,189	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	5,363	3,855	n.y.a.

(a) Includes waffles, wafers and gingerbread. Excludes dog biscuits.

(b) Excludes biscuits coated with chocolate or other confectionery

(c) Canned tomatoes are included with preserved vegetables.

TABLE 15. OTHER PROCESSED FOOD AND DRINK PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

Period	Canned meat	Bacon and ham (other than canned)	Natural fruit juices	Aerated waters (a)
	tonnes	tonnes	'000 litres	'000 litres
1991-92	6,521	22,640	38,792	385,807
1992-93	6,127	25,845	56,359	380,554
1993-94	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1993 -				
March	706	2,295	5,455	37,652
April	570	2,160	4,293	25,986
May	489	2,308	2,328	28,575
June	592	2,170	2,278	20,862
July	566	2,238	4,735	23,163
August	557	2,096	3,551	32,386
September	601	2,160	3,375	34,816
October	567	2,370	3,741	41,155
November	353	2,323	5,297	40,503
December	571	2,295	4,729	r50,887
1994 -				
January	252	1,786	4,237	r39,590
February	726	1,826	3,750	48,588
March	699	2,078	4,754	40,890
April	669	2,052	3,568	25,953
May	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
June	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

(a) Bulk pre-mix and post-mix concentrates are included with aerated waters

TABLE 16. WOOL AND YARNS PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

Period	Wool receivels	Scoured and carbonised wool	Yarns	
			Cotton	Wool
	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes	tonnes
1991-92	208,990	66,165	11,050	14,149
1992-93	203,572	67,397	n.p.	13,915
1993-94	189,095	n.y.a.	16,461	17,025
1993 -				
March	12,116	6,372	1,108	1,236
April	10,230	5,181	1,277	1,183
May	8,675	6,065	1,079	1,174
June	r6,459	5,540	1,810	1,228
July	p8,160	4,703	1,465	1,313
August	p18,287	4,974	1,307	1,440
September	p22,605	5,053	1,476	1,412
October	p27,263	5,429	1,365	1,294
November	p32,112	5,596	1,278	1,342
December	p19,716	4,947	1,333	1,165
1994 -				
January	r10,700	4,860	608	931
February	p12,503	6,471	1,388	1,504
March	p14,164	6,610	1,739	1,565
April	p9,039	6,202	1,255	r1,593
May	p8,863	n.y.a.	1,400	1,777
June	5,450	n.y.a.	n.p.	1,689

TABLE 17. TEXTILE AND FOOTWEAR PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

	Textiles					
	Broadwoven fabric		Man made fibre	Footwear		
	Cotton	Woolien (a)		Men's (b)	Women's (b)	Children's (c)
	'000 sq.m	'000 sq.m		'000 pairs	'000 pairs	'000 pairs
1991-92	16,599	5,076	76,240	2,332	r5,341	r1,084
1992-93	19,281	5,053	73,642	2,142	r5,030	r809
1993-94	20,873	4,894	72,135	2,180	5,685	673
1993 -						
March	1,736	500	6,815	207	r529	r76
April	1,958	412	5,973	175	r459	r64
May	1,716	370	6,917	209	r456	r69
June	2,241	401	7,396	172	r397	r41
July	1,960	447	6,666	175	r458	23
August	1,734	392	6,348	199	r489	r52
September	1,961	536	6,113	222	r515	r51
October	1,817	390	6,333	205	r522	r60
November	1,608	449	6,127	198	r480	r57
December	1,595	376	5,846	160	r458	53
1994 -						
January	577	226	3,195	89	r244	55
February	1,777	493	6,448	206	r507	78
March	2,267	547	5,987	204	r613	80
April	1,614	371	5,396	154	459	73
May	1,797	340	6,897	191	500	53
June	2,165	328	6,781	178	440	39

(a) Excludes thongs, waterproof and sports footwear.

(b) Refers to size 2 second series.

(c) Refers to sizes below 2 second series

TABLE 18. BUILDING MATERIALS PRODUCTION, VICTORIA

Period	Paints						
	Terracotta and concrete roofing tiles		Concrete		Architectural and decorative		
	Clay bricks		Ready mixed	Masonry (a)		Industrial	Floor coverings
	million	'000 sq m	'000 cu m	tonnes	'000 litres	'000 litres	'000 sq m
1991-92	284	3,666	2,507	222,676	17,443	30,809	32,575
1992-93	304	7,855	2,927	234,629	18,321	32,211	33,159
1993-94	302	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1993 -							
March	30	1,314	293	21,370	1,646	3,050	3,081
April	26	1,060	266	20,738	1,555	3,034	2,422
May	27	1,100	289	20,812	1,324	2,820	3,153
June	32	1,101	259	20,453	1,639	2,779	2,733
July	27	942	259	19,450	1,071	3,014	2,782
August	30	1,081	235	20,947	1,409	2,332	3,416
September	27	878	220	22,564	1,607	2,658	3,339
October	25	954	246	22,122	1,882	3,356	3,202
November	28	1,092	245	22,855	1,675	2,864	3,679
December	21	n.y.a.	232	22,376	1,869	3,311	2,936
1994 -							
January	11	n.y.a.	181	14,753	1,110	2,101	2,146
February	24	n.y.a.	235	25,046	1,599	2,823	3,375
March	30	n.y.a.	r287	26,687	1,773	2,963	3,334
April	25	n.y.a.	229	23,252	1,562	3,144	3,257
May	28	n.y.a.	294	26,241	1,582	3,188	4,065
June	27	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	3,418

(a) Concrete masonry includes concrete bricks, blocks and pavers

TABLE 19. PLASTICS, ENERGY AND ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, VICTORIA

Period	Plastics in Primary Form		Energy		Electrical Appliances		
	Mixed or com- pounded (a)	Not mixed or com- pounded (a)	Electricity generated	Gas available (b)	Domestic air conditioning machines (c)	Electric space heating apparatus	Electric fans
	tonnes	tonnes	million KWh	million Mj	number	number	number
1991-92	150,117	626,031	38,305	202,699	8,948	227,723	595,382
1992-93	157,454	663,713	37,576	207,131	10,595	177,463	746,216
1993-94	61,506	711,091	34,113	195,901	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1993 -							
March	14,936	61,680	2,991	13,017	1,034	24,465	60,730
April	14,634	55,030	2,923	13,129	948	36,101	67,720
May	15,010	52,881	3,091	19,410	843	31,259	54,158
June	14,920	57,697	3,164	23,530	939	27,620	61,182
July	15,027	62,445	3,541	22,223	816	17,094	74,022
August	14,924	62,041	3,490	19,811	1,144	3,454	89,306
September	14,927	62,739	3,173	18,671	856	n.p.	73,566
October	15,816	61,708	3,258	15,376	1,380	n.p.	46,879
November	15,339	55,759	3,112	13,465	1,588	2,957	58,464
December	15,044	48,727	3,224	12,236	1,518	12,608	62,695
1994 -							
January	13,451	56,756	2,740	10,180	704	14,302	48,607
February	15,451	58,022	2,768	11,230	790	24,663	65,378
March	15,856	64,897	2,904	13,999	862	17,667	33,250
April	15,077	61,795	2,675	14,782	487	13,053	53,409
May	15,782	57,488	2,953	21,928	821	14,544	78,050
June	4,812	58,714	3,096	22,632	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.

(a) Excludes regranulated scrap.

(b) Available for issue through mains.

(c) Excludes self-contained window or wall types.

## BUILDING

TABLE 20. BUILDING APPROVALS

Period	New residential buildings (a)						Alter- ations and additions to residential buildings (b)	Non-residential building (c)		Total all building
	Private sector		Public sector		Total			Private sector	Total	
	No.	Value (\$'000)	No.	Value (\$'000)	No.	Value (\$'000)		Value (\$'000)	Value (\$'000)	
MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION										
1990-91	13,448	1,186,990	854	51,028	14,302	1,238,018	392,686	1,087,868	1,423,696	3,054,400
1991-92	15,901	1,381,716	1,201	76,279	17,102	1,457,995	413,323	978,594	1,242,404	3,113,722
1992-93	18,949	1,663,728	886	52,930	19,835	1,716,658	429,731	858,160	1,138,241	3,284,630
1993 -										
April	1,489	129,125	48	2,508	1,537	131,633	33,704	47,323	60,967	226,304
May	1,615	144,683	17	958	1,632	145,641	37,199	71,294	85,573	268,412
June	1,608	142,771	55	2,920	1,663	145,691	39,294	71,801	150,298	335,913
July	1,769	157,026	77	5,262	1,846	162,288	37,462	40,235	78,279	278,030
August	1,641	150,843	59	4,490	1,700	155,333	35,988	150,610	262,114	453,435
September	1,785	162,845	131	7,895	1,916	170,740	37,086	83,313	104,085	311,912
October	1,728	155,936	58	3,364	1,786	159,300	43,600	126,969	141,048	343,949
November	1,755	157,151	84	5,639	1,839	162,790	45,894	63,306	136,464	345,148
December	1,648	150,340	52	2,956	1,700	153,297	45,397	89,197	105,936	304,630
1994 -										
January	1,481	143,699	107	9,107	1,588	152,806	28,977	34,727	48,386	230,169
February	1,750	162,359	87	6,314	1,837	168,673	34,870	189,966	332,290	535,833
March	1,794	166,557	143	11,625	1,937	178,182	41,247	90,157	112,686	332,115
April	1,650	157,047	63	4,960	1,713	162,007	33,322	102,007	129,992	325,322
May	1,813	198,809	25	3,162	1,838	201,970	85,947	92,651	111,876	399,793
June	1,622	163,041	54	6,842	1,676	169,884	39,440	556,694	575,462	784,786
TOTAL VICTORIA										
1990-91	22,066	1,867,210	1,185	69,477	23,251	1,936,687	491,230	1,253,844	1,678,157	4,106,074
1991-92	24,290	2,063,184	1,723	107,753	26,013	2,170,937	514,111	1,114,875	1,473,715	4,158,763
1992-93	28,155	2,408,177	1,416	85,963	27,644	3,027,181	533,042	1,066,219	1,406,261	4,433,442
1993 -										
April	2,192	186,474	109	7,143	2,301	193,617	43,153	60,205	77,133	313,902
May	2,411	210,014	69	4,040	2,480	214,054	45,981	81,781	107,761	367,795
June	2,377	206,644	188	4,649	2,465	211,293	47,786	91,486	178,538	437,617
July	2,561	221,093	98	8,392	2,659	229,485	46,750	49,163	90,393	366,628
August	2,442	215,430	68	5,064	2,510	220,476	44,680	184,616	300,802	565,958
September	2,627	231,566	171	11,361	2,798	242,927	46,677	105,232	127,656	417,259
October	2,545	220,852	97	6,448	2,642	227,300	53,534	136,438	155,792	436,626
November	2,608	226,499	137	8,297	2,745	234,796	55,705	96,828	174,813	465,313
December	2,368	209,931	68	3,994	2,436	213,925	53,613	99,437	120,420	387,958
1994 -										
January	2,051	192,530	132	10,627	2,183	203,157	36,499	43,559	65,260	304,916
February	2,526	225,713	190	11,852	2,716	237,565	44,074	209,488	363,431	645,070
March	2,725	243,886	180	13,877	2,905	257,763	53,743	104,225	165,302	476,808
April	2,338	216,800	84	6,500	2,422	223,299	42,114	121,514	178,947	444,361
May	2,675	274,591	46	5,691	2,721	280,282	99,677	118,845	151,136	528,095
June	2,489	239,130	59	7,578	2,548	246,709	49,482	584,205	608,719	904,910

(a) Commencing with July 1990 comprises jobs valued at \$10,000 and over. (b) Valued at \$10,000 and over. (c) Commencing with July 1990 comprises jobs valued at \$50,000 and over.

**TABLE 21. NEW HOUSES AND OTHER RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS: NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS, VICTORIA**

		New houses			New other residential buildings				
		Commenced	construction	Completed	Approved	Commenced	construction	Completed	
1990-91		20,915	21,094	11,512	25,215	2,336	2,486	1,999	2,898
1991-92		23,065	22,392	11,210	22,401	2,948	3,033	2,165	2,877
1992-93		27,158	25,734	11,805	25,083	2,438	2,413	2,022	2,566
1992 -									
	Dec qr	6,958	6,935	11,896	6,432	704	464	1,813	755
1993 -									
	Mar qr	6,586	5,852	11,596	6,153	602	757	2,023	547
	Jun qr	6,676	6,753	11,772	6,550	570	634	2,022	635
	Sept qr	7,016	6,779	11,188	7,308	963	708	1,877	853
	Dec qr r	7,024	7,428	11,696	6,897	97	828	1,643	1,073
1994 -									
	Mar qr	6,784	6,704	12,450	5,903	1,020	1,144	2,253	529

**TABLE 22. VALUE OF BUILDING, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Residential buildings		Non-residential building							Total
	New	Alterations and additions	Shops	Factories	Business premises	Education	Health	Other		
COMMENCED										
1990-91	2,020.8	532.7	229.8	421.1	872.4	187.9	67.5	351.9	4,684.3	
1991-92	2,196.0	542.7	161.9	353.5	590.2	194.1	112.1	218.1	4,368.5	
1992-93	2,428.2	562.0	189.4	187.0	395.7	178.5	273.4	294.4	4,508.1	
1993 -										
Mar qr	563.5	129.8	38.9	33.3	102.1	48.2	151.5	86.9	1,154.2	
Jun qr	638.3	137.1	54.9	42.7	87.0	34.6	27.5	95.3	1,117.4	
Sept r	666.5	146.7	111.8	48.3	102.6	55.1	75.8	62.9	1,269.5	
Dec qr r	756.3	180.1	134.3	53.4	164.5	59.8	52.6	106.6	1,507.6	
1994 -										
Mar qr p	711.1	156.9	71.6	42.9	219.9	50.9	79.1	58.5	1,390.9	
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD										
1990-91	1,281.5	253.6	204.5	570.2	3,019.5	189.2	299.7	543.3	6,361.5	
1991-92	1,262.4	258.7	177.5	554.2	2,147.6	173.4	243.3	167.6	4,984.7	
1992-93	1,297.2	243.6	74.1	347.9	995.8	132.1	412.6	227.8	3,731.2	
1993 -										
Mar qr	1,293.7	241.7	62.5	330.1	1,234.2	150.8	427.8	177.2	3,918.1	
Jun qr	1,294.7	243.2	79.1	347.7	995.8	132.1	412.6	227.8	3,733.0	
Sept qr	1,222.7	234.0	147.3	176.8	835.7	119.6	424.5	203.1	3,363.7	
Dec qr r	1,270.4	270.2	225.3	158.7	878.5	140.7	465.0	214.1	3,622.9	
1994 -										
Mar qr p	1,414.2	289.8	298.1	125.5	521.4	136.7	525.9	226.8	3,538.4	
COMPLETED										
1990-91	2,600.6	601.2	560.2	380.7	2,112.5	266.8	195.2	482.3	7,199.5	
1991-92	2,242.6	543.1	195.4	390.1	1,523.4	210.8	166.4	518.8	5,790.5	
1992-93	2,411.7	583.5	289.7	380.5	1,565.1	222.2	107.4	237.6	5,797.7	
1993 -										
Mar qr	581.5	135.3	38.4	20.9	710.3	49.7	18.4	72.1	1,626.5	
Jun qr	640.5	141.1	39.1	22.8	325.0	54.0	42.9	47.1	1,312.6	
Sept qr	737.1	157.9	42.8	232.0	318.5	68.4	52.6	80.9	1,690.1	
Dec qr r	719.8	146.7	59.8	74.6	123.3	37.1	15.9	61.3	1,238.5	
1994 -										
Mar qr p	578.1	141.6	34.6	76.1	573.8	57.0	21.6	42.4	1,525.2	



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**TABLE 23. STATEMENT OF BUDGET SECTOR TRANSACTIONS, VICTORIA (a)**  
(\$m)

	<i>Budget Estimate 1993-94</i>	<i>Actual 12 months to 30.6.1994</i>	<i>Actual 12 months to 30.6.1993</i>
<b>OUTLAYS</b>			
Current Outlays			
Education	2 947.5	2 919.6	3 004.6
Health	2 643.2	2 505.8	2 671.8
Interest	2 159.7	2 176.1	2 046.0
Superannuation	2 256.2	2 242.6	806.9
Public Order and Safety	865.0	831.4	809.1
Social Security and Welfare	871.6	842.7	757.0
Transport	787.6	764.0	921.4
Workers Compensation	217.4	207.2	227.2
Other	1 517.5	1 248.7	1 469.0
Commonwealth Current Grants On-passed	<u>1 707.3</u>	<u>1 730.3</u>	<u>1 561.3</u>
Total Current Outlays	15 972.9	15 468.4	14 274.2
Capital Outlays			
Transport	707.7	567.8	631.2
Housing and Community Amenities	264.2	210.4	286.2
Education	219.5	228.9	225.6
Health	164.7	137.1	173.5
Public Order and Safety	41.6	32.1	33.9
Social Security and Welfare	34.1	27.4	45.5
Separation Packages	1 300.0	731.7	772.7
Other	-143.3	-1 133.3	-163.0
Casino Premium Payment	-26.0	200.0	0.0
Non-Business Asset Sales	-93.5	-173.0	-112.0
Commonwealth Capital Grants On-passed	<u>73.2</u>	<u>88.1</u>	<u>115.0</u>
Total Capital Outlays	2 828.9	510.2	2 008.5
<b>TOTAL OUTLAYS</b>	<b><u>18 801.8</u></b>	<b><u>15 978.6</u></b>	<b><u>16 282.7</u></b>
<b>REVENUE</b>			
Taxes, Fees and Fines			
Payroll Tax	1 706.4	1 713.5	1 669.5
Stamp Duty on Financial and Capital Transactions	814.3	1 019.0	845.8
State Deficit Levy on rateable properties	170.0	180.9	173.2
Financial Institutions Transaction Taxes	522.4	540.1	409.5
Franchise Taxes	991.1	1 059.8	850.6
Motor Vehicle Taxes	710.5	734.9	622.4
Land Taxes	450.0	408.9	481.1
Taxes on Private Lotteries	294.3	286.1	290.2
Race Betting Taxes	205.5	201.7	198.4
Electronic Gaming Machines	225.0	258.8	94.9
Other Gambling Taxes	17.1	14.2	16.8
Levies on Statutory Corporations	294.0	286.8	283.6
Taxes on Insurance	278.0	291.8	184.8
Other Taxes, Fees and Fines	<u>178.9</u>	<u>188.6</u>	<u>180.6</u>
Total Taxes, Fees and Fines	6 857.4	7 184.9	6 301.3
Interest Received	88.6	90.7	91.2
Royalties	44.2	48.4	57.3
Income from Public Trading and Financial Enterprises	804.7	814.6	581.5
Other State Revenue	<u>58.2</u>	<u>60.1</u>	<u>60.0</u>
Total Other Revenue	995.7	1 013.7	790.0
Grants			
Grants Received from Commonwealth	5 490.7	5 420.7	5 325.7
Commonwealth Grants for On-Passing	<u>1 780.0</u>	<u>1 811.3</u>	<u>1 664.1</u>
Total Grants	7 270.7	7 232.0	6 989.8
<b>TOTAL REVENUE AND GRANTS RECEIVED</b>	<b><u>15 123.9</u></b>	<b><u>15 430.6</u></b>	<b><u>14 081.1</u></b>
<b>FINANCING TRANSACTIONS</b>			
Net Advances from Commonwealth	-305.2	-303.3	-579.7
Other Net Borrowing	3 466.0	615.6	2 744.5
Other, including changes in Cash Balances and Investments	<u>517.2</u>	<u>235.5</u>	<u>36.8</u>
<b>TOTAL FINANCING TRANSACTIONS</b>	<b><u>3 678.1</u></b>	<b><u>547.8</u></b>	<b><u>2 201.7</u></b>

Source: Treasurer of Victoria

(a) This monthly statement of budget sector transactions (the Niemeyer Statement) is presented in *Government Finance Statistics* format

**TABLE 24. ACTUAL PRIVATE NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY INDUSTRY GROUP AND TYPE OF ASSET, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Quarter	Selected industry in ASIC subdivision				Type of asset		
	Mining	Manufacturing	Finance, etc	Other selected industries	Total	New buildings and structures	Other new capital equipment
1989-90 -							
September	n.p.	650	551	n.p.	1,986	757	1,229
December	n.p.	790	603	n.p.	2,237	861	1,376
March	n.p.	664	493	n.p.	1,668	620	1,048
June	n.p.	699	657	n.p.	1,947	745	1,202
1990-91 -							
September	n.p.	568	619	n.p.	1,841	697	1,144
December	n.p.	613	502	n.p.	1,672	638	1,034
March	n.p.	506	361	n.p.	1,364	445	919
June	n.p.	473	420	n.p.	1,480	549	931
1991-92 -							
September	n.p.	492	417	n.p.	1,455	444	1,010
December	n.p.	492	312	n.p.	1,357	393	964
March	n.p.	400	260	n.p.	1,117	305	813
June	n.p.	501	308	n.p.	1,359	348	1,011
1992-93 -							
September	n.p.	430	394	n.p.	1,287	397	889
December	n.p.	540	282	n.p.	1,507	382	1,125
March	n.p.	444	267	n.p.	1,223	299	924
June	n.p.	780	241	n.p.	1,590	313	1,277
1993-94 -							
September	n.p.	618	284	n.p.	1,695	396	1,298
December	n.p.	738	317	n.p.	1,960	448	1,511

**TABLE 25. EXPECTED AND SUBSEQUENTLY REPORTED ACTUAL PRIVATE NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BY INDUSTRY GROUP AND TYPE OF ASSET, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

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**TABLE 26. HOUSING FINANCE FOR OWNER OCCUPATION,  
SECURED HOUSING FINANCE COMMITMENTS, VICTORIA**

Period	Original Series		Seasonally Adjusted		Trend Estimates	
	Dwelling units	\$million	Dwelling units	\$million	Dwelling units	\$million
1993 -						
January	6,522	530	8,582	694	8,589	690
February	7,657	598	8,444	653	8,694	691
March	10,097	780	9,082	698	8,866	696
April	8,422	675	8,974	711	9,103	706
May	10,150	790	9,492	732	9,400	724
June	10,700	830	9,657	738	9,704	745
July	10,078	770	10,135	776	9,986	768
August	10,153	776	10,122	779	10,284	791
September	11,536	874	10,850	824	10,665	819
October	10,653	816	11,115	850	11,130	848
November	11,516	877	10,781	838	11,641	875
December	12,409	924	12,396	944	12,114	896
1994 -						
January	10,005	694	13,056	907	12,419	907
February	11,779	847	13,019	927	12,502	909
March	13,232	984	11,840	874	12,401	906
April	11,472	852	12,563	920	12,195	900
May	12,762	984	11,465	874	11,965	896
June	12,711	997	11,592	898	11,672	888

**TABLE 27. COMMERCIAL FINANCE, COMMITMENTS, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Fixed loan facilities						Type of lender			
	Construction	Purchase of real property	Purchase of plant and equipment	Wholesale	Other	Total	Revolving credit facilities	Total commitments	Banks	All other lenders
1993 -										
January	29.0	104.1	73.8	29.5	191.9	428.2	923.6	1,350.3	1,009.2	341.1
February	17.5	107.5	88.7	40.0	249.8	503.4	925.0	1,428.2	1,144.7	283.5
March	54.4	189.8	106.7	50.8	384.2	786.0	977.0	1,762.7	1,533.6	229.1
April	28.9	146.3	98.0	67.4	238.6	579.3	1,053.8	1,632.9	1,283.6	349.3
May	36.6	181.1	108.8	51.1	276.3	653.9	1,290.5	1,944.1	1,670.0	274.1
June	83.4	279.5	125.4	56.6	436.0	980.9	1,413.1	2,393.8	2,067.3	326.6
July	32.2	201.6	125.6	55.2	472.2	886.7	880.1	1,772.5	1,382.0	390.5
August	87.1	167.1	105.1	62.8	241.1	663.1	969.2	1,639.7	1,382.0	257.7
September	41.3	202.4	113.2	57.4	321.9	736.1	1,242.2	1,985.4	1,436.8	548.6
October	42.6	192.4	115.0	48.2	163.7	562.1	1,572.9	2,113.6	1,571.6	541.9
November	40.3	214.5	125.1	59.0	207.5	646.2	1,631.3	2,285.6	1,447.6	838.0
December	57.9	220.6	145.7	57.5	519.1	1,001.0	1,003.6	2,007.7	1,555.3	452.3
1994 -										
January	24.3	206.4	89.6	32.3	118.3	470.9	1,175.2	1,653.9	1,319.8	334.1
February	32.6	202.1	107.8	61.3	171.3	575.1	835.7	1,417.5	1,120.7	296.8
March	42.2	218.7	346.5	70.2	630.7	1,308.2	1,233.3	2,541.5	2,126.6	414.9
April	36.1	199.6	119.9	56.3	218.2	630.3	1,112.4	1,742.7	1,254.7	488.0
May	116.9	273.6	145.1	109.8	180.9	826.3	1,175.6	2,001.9	1,713.9	288.0
June	83.4	273.5	169.0	72.8	455.0	1,053.8	1,224.6	2,278.4	1,833.1	445.3

**TABLE 28. PERSONAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS BY TYPE OF LENDER  
AND TYPE OF CREDIT, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Type of lender				Total	Type of credit	
	All banks	Credit unions	Finance companies	Other		Fixed loans	Revolving credit (credit cards, etc.)
1993 -							
January	193.8	24.4	58.6	17.7	294.5	199.5	95.0
February	207.6	25.0	50.9	17.1	300.6	201.7	98.9
March	277.4	31.0	61.6	24.3	394.3	260.5	133.8
April	251.8	29.9	57.1	18.8	357.7	205.7	152.0
May	292.4	28.6	56.8	22.1	399.9	224.0	175.9
June	370.7	31.7	61.3	21.2	484.9	284.7	200.2
July	250.0	36.6	69.9	18.7	375.3	242.4	138.4
August	277.2	41.6	71.1	19.5	409.3	265.6	151.5
September	316.6	34.7	63.3	19.8	434.4	279.0	163.2
October	294.6	34.8	61.3	20.3	411.0	263.3	153.9
November	291.3	36.7	69.4	18.8	416.2	255.8	169.8
December	345.1	32.9	69.6	24.9	472.5	318.6	157.2
1994 -							
January	309.2	30.6	73.8	20.2	433.7	262.2	179.5
February	316.0	34.2	67.8	18.0	435.9	305.1	137.4
March	421.7	40.9	83.0	18.7	564.2	392.3	172.0
April	326.9	32.3	68.7	17.0	444.9	283.3	161.6
May	405.8	39.3	79.8	19.4	544.3	338.6	205.7
June	444.7	37.3	88.3	20.1	590.4	411.1	179.2

**TABLE 29. LEASE FINANCE, VALUE OF GOODS UNDER NEW LEASE  
FINANCE COMMITMENTS, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Motor vehicles	Other	Total finance lease commitments	Commitments not drawn at end of period	Lessor		Total
					Finance companies	Other lessors	
1993 -							
January	37.6	19.6	57.2	79.1	25.0	32.2	57.2
February	37.1	30.1	67.2	74.1	25.2	42.0	67.2
March	52.5	29.5	82.0	64.4	32.5	49.5	82.0
April	51.3	24.6	75.9	76.2	33.4	42.6	75.9
May	54.7	39.2	93.9	80.5	35.8	58.1	93.9
June	77.6	135.5	213.1	81.7	47.4	165.7	213.1
July	70.4	45.2	115.6	108.0	52.7	62.8	115.6
August	57.1	32.1	89.2	101.5	40.9	48.4	89.2
September	50.4	43.9	94.3	119.3	35.9	58.5	94.3
October	43.8	40.9	84.7	109.0	32.9	51.8	84.7
November	57.8	39.8	97.6	115.3	32.8	64.8	97.6
December	60.6	66.3	126.9	111.5	43.7	83.2	126.9
1994 -							
January	40.0	28.8	68.8	123.9	27.4	41.5	68.8
February	49.8	41.5	91.3	121.9	32.9	58.4	91.3
March	68.4	44.0	112.4	128.0	45.9	66.4	112.4
April	64.5	32.1	96.6	187.1	38.1	58.4	96.6
May	74.5	44.2	118.7	149.0	49.3	69.4	118.7
June	98.9	88.4	187.3	117.9	69.8	117.5	187.3

## TRADE

**TABLE 30. RETAIL TURNOVER BY INDUSTRY (EXCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS, PETROL, ETC.), VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Food stores	Butchers	Hotels, liquor stores, and licensed clubs	Cafes and restaurants	Clothing and footwear stores	Department and general stores	Domestic hard ware stores and jewellers	Furniture and Electrical goods stores	floor coverings stores	Pharmacies	News-agents	Other	Total
1993-													
Mar.	767.7	41.7	156.9	98.8	154.3	177.2	88.7	106.4	63.3	83.8	62.8	92.5	1,894.4
Apr.	777.8	41.5	159.3	95.9	164.8	200.8	89.4	101.0	61.4	85.1	56.9	94.5	1,928.4
May	747.6	41.3	151.3	100.7	172.6	213.3	89.6	103.1	68.2	87.3	58.9	88.3	1,922.1
June	741.3	39.3	147.9	100.1	173.6	205.0	89.1	113.5	64.4	102.6	52.6	88.9	1,918.1
July	783.7	40.7	164.2	106.6	172.9	171.8	82.4	120.5	66.2	101.4	57.9	92.7	1,961.0
August	738.2	38.5	153.1	102.3	147.0	156.1	80.5	107.5	65.1	96.4	57.5	95.6	1,837.8
Sept.	764.0	42.0	154.9	105.9	145.4	191.5	80.2	107.6	66.0	107.8	59.1	98.4	1,922.8
Oct.	788.7	44.1	159.7	106.8	154.0	198.8	89.4	113.6	69.4	112.8	59.8	108.3	2,005.4
Nov.	777.0	42.3	164.7	115.0	164.0	217.5	94.1	119.2	74.6	117.2	63.0	128.1	2,076.7
Dec.	929.2	54.3	213.8	130.4	240.2	392.4	129.2	171.0	69.4	141.8	88.6	174.1	2,734.4
1994 -													
Jan.	787.3	39.6	158.3	94.3	141.0	165.7	69.8	110.5	65.2	98.6	70.1	79.0	1,879.4
Feb.	754.4	40.3	149.3	93.1	119.5	147.5	65.9	105.6	62.8	92.3	65.0	82.3	1,778.0
Mar.	866.1	49.4	177.4	106.6	152.5	187.1	72.1	117.9	56.2	103.8	64.0	117.6	2,070.7
Apr.	797.3	45.7	172.7	103.5	162.2	194.5	60.6	117.0	50.2	99.5	61.5	112.4	1,977.1
May	794.9	46.3	165.1	98.1	160.5	209.5	65.4	121.1	56.7	109.3	64.8	116.2	2,008.0
June	805.2	46.2	169.1	96.7	142.0	209.1	60.6	128.8	64.2	107.5	64.6	116.0	2,009.9

**TABLE 31. VALUE OF OVERSEAS TRADE, VICTORIA AND AUSTRALIA**  
(\$m)

Period	Victoria			Australia		
	Imports	Exports	Excess of exports	Imports	Exports (incl. re-exports)	Excess of exports
1991-92	15,372	9,531	-5,841	51,000	55,014	4,015
1992-93	18,163	11,036	-7,127	59,586	60,773	1,187
1993-94	20,773	12,275	-8,498	64,470	64,611	141
1993-						
February	1,322	874	-448	4,434	4,689	255
March	1,637	897	-740	5,566	5,060	-506
April	1,540	840	-700	4,804	4,824	20
May	1,461	979	-482	4,822	5,074	252
June	1,561	941	-620	5,163	5,133	-30
July	1,806	902	-904	5,380	5,429	49
August	1,892	902	-990	5,651	5,211	-440
September	1,702	1,065	-637	5,364	5,472	-108
October	1,907	1,182	-725	5,655	5,807	+152
November	1,804	952	-852	5,842	5,483	-359
December	1,635	1,063	-572	5,486	5,500	+14
1994-						
January	1,610	954	-656	4,865	4,779	-86
February	1,504	926	-578	4,408	4,835	+427
March	1,890	1,109	-781	5,851	5,643	-208
April	1,599	935	-664	5,044	5,179	+135
May	1,785	1,152	-633	5,544	5,883	+339
June	1,671	934	-737	5,429	5,270	-159

**TABLE 32. EXPORTS AND IMPORTS BY SECTIONS OF THE  
AUSTRALIAN EXPORT AND IMPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATIONS, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Section	1992-93		12 months ended June 1994	
	Imports	Exports	Imports (a)	Exports
0 Food and live animals chiefly for food	703	2,645	855	2,901
1 Beverages and tobacco	122	52	141	68
2 Crude materials, inedible (except fuels)	495	1,364	512	1,352
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants, and related materials	404	1,790	434	713
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats, and waxes	70	55	65	62
5 Chemicals and related products, nec	1,839	586	1,971	662
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,261	1,771	3,529	1,906
7 Machinery and transport equipment	7,494	1,530	8,971	1,687
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,238	580	3,574	672
9 Commodities and transactions of merchandise trade, nec	1,537	1,663	721	2,252
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,163</b>	<b>11,036</b>	<b>20,773</b>	<b>12,275</b>

(a) The methodology of compiling the data has been revised. Care should be taken when comparing data over time.

**TABLE 33. OVERSEAS TRADE, MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS, VICTORIA**  
(\$m)

Country	1991-92		1992-93		12 months ended June 1994	
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports
Brazil	132	10	121	23	132	37
Canada	245	96	266	147	292	147
China -						
Excluding Taiwan Province	889	249	1,171	539	1,416	481
Taiwan province only	713	517	765	514	747	512
Egypt, Arab Republic of	1	58	2	45	2	93
France	341	167	383	180	432	132
Germany	1,199	297	1,448	254	1,550	245
Hong Kong	270	501	264	577	209	530
India	116	83	150	77	171	106
Indonesia	156	164	233	199	324	241
Italy	414	191	501	170	594	185
Japan	2,882	1,698	3,315	1,629	3,779	2,178
Korea, Republic of	413	558	465	689	491	901
Malaysia	207	264	284	346	318	611
Netherlands	152	47	173	45	199	32
New Zealand	764	825	869	951	1,024	1,093
Papua New Guinea	24	189	28	197	92	209
Saudi Arabia	74	87	147	113	173	133
Singapore	318	802	370	1,188	407	1,125
Sweden	254	20	318	30	408	23
Switzerland	190	27	223	13	250	29
Thailand	203	233	223	321	261	347
USSR (a)						
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Latvia	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	1
Russian Federation	-	-	-	-	8	67
United Kingdom	1,006	310	1,050	334	1,229	338
United States of America	3,306	947	3,974	934	4,696	914
Other and unknown	1,111	1,148	1,419	1,515	1,569(b)	1,565
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,372</b>	<b>9,531</b>	<b>18,163</b>	<b>11,037</b>	<b>20,773 (b)</b>	<b>12,275</b>

(a) The scope of the USSR has changed during the periods covered in this table and care should be taken when comparing data over time. Trade has been separately identified from October 1991 for each of the three Baltic Republics (Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania).

(b) The methodology of compiling the data has been revised. Care should be taken when comparing data over time.

## TOURISM AND TRANSPORT

TABLE 34. TOURIST ACCOMMODATION

Period	Hotels, motels, etc. with facilities				Short-term caravan parks			
	No. of estab- lishments	Capacity (No. of guest rooms)	Room	Takings from accommodation (\$'000)	No. of estab- lishments	Capacity (No. of sites and cabins)	Site	Takings from accommodation (\$'000)
			occupancy rates (per cent)				occupancy rates (per cent)	
MELBOURNE STATISTICAL DIVISION								
1992 -								
March qr	244	13,906	56	72,858	49	5,570	60	1,781
June qr	249	14,679	51	66,636	48	5,535	48	1,197
Sept qr	246	14,543	51	67,552	47	5,295	47	1,574
Dec qr	248	14,847	55	75,483	49	5,452	57	1,745
1993 -								
March qr	248	14,817	55	73,860	49	5,417	58	1,561
June qr	250	14,928	51	70,420	48	5,378	48	1,182
Sept qr	249	15,085	50	67,677	50	5,468	46	1,646
Dec qr	242	14,956	58	79,496	50	5,443	54	1,855
1994 -								
March qr	241	14,824	60	80,798	49	5,417	59	1,801
TOTAL VICTORIA								
1992 -								
March qr	1,032	29,063	48	105,946	455	54,822	41	15,896
June qr	1,037	29,949	44	96,903	453	54,628	35	9,729
Sept qr	1,031	29,595	44	101,967	440	53,654	33	9,424
Dec qr	1,039	29,995	47	106,498	442	53,482	38	12,975
1993 -								
March qr	1,040	29,944	48	107,633	444	53,935	45	16,443
June qr	1,051	30,278	45	101,757	445	54,351	37	10,038
Sept qr	1,043	30,316	43	100,636	436	53,422	34	9,914
Dec qr	1,025	30,265	48	110,502	442	53,601	39	13,469
1994 -								
March qr	1,017	29,988	51	115,454	441	54,052	45	17,183

TABLE 35. REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, VICTORIA  
(Excludes defence service vehicles, but includes other Australian Government-owned vehicles)

Period	Passenger vehicles		Other vehicles (excluding motor cycles)		Total (excluding motor cycles)		Motor cycles	Total motor vehicles
	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted	Original	Seasonally adjusted		
1991-92	98,766	..	14,151	..	112,917	..	3,878	116,795
1992-93	106,213	..	17,677	..	123,890	..	4,528	128,418
1993-94	113,249	..	19,201	..	132,450	..	4,400	136,850
1993 -								
April	8,708	9,328	1,412	1,420	10,120	10,749	382	10,502
May	8,741	8,981	1,545	1,429	10,286	10,410	339	10,625
June	9,627	8,793	2,033	1,791	11,660	10,584	332	11,992
July	9,361	8,958	1,423	1,272	10,784	10,230	316	11,100
August	10,191	9,687	1,431	1,398	11,622	11,085	325	11,947
September	8,440	8,017	1,454	1,420	9,894	9,436	347	10,241
October	9,222	9,240	1,407	1,457	10,629	10,698	356	10,985
November	9,660	9,585	1,588	1,657	11,248	11,242	404	11,652
December	10,005	9,202	1,603	1,647	11,608	10,849	411	12,019
1994 -								
January	7,148	10,026	1,025	1,453	8,173	11,479	411	8,584
February	9,288	9,918	1,412	1,531	10,700	11,449	423	11,123
March	10,864	9,788	1,849	1,689	12,713	11,477	391	13,104
April	8,348	9,231	1,538	1,601	9,886	10,832	337	10,223
May	9,970	9,699	1,981	1,771	11,951	11,471	329	12,280
June	10,752	10,009	2,490	2,185	13,242	12,194	350	13,592

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